

EC-1897. A communication from the Secretary of Health and Human Services, transmitting, pursuant to law, the first annual report on the Tribal Program Service and Expenditures for the Child Care and Development Block Grant (OBRA); to the Select Committee on Indian Affairs.

### EXECUTIVE REPORTS OF COMMITTEES

The following executive reports of committees were submitted:

By Mr. THURMOND, from the Committee on Armed Services:

#### AIR FORCE

The following officers for appointment in the Reserve of the Air Force, to the grade indicated, under the provisions of title 10, United States Code, sections 8373, 12004, and 12203:

#### *To be major general*

Brig. Gen. Boyd L. Ashcraft, 000-00-0000, Air Force Reserve.

Brig. Gen. Jim L. Folsom, 000-00-0000, Air Force Reserve.

Brig. Gen. James E. Haight, Jr., 000-00-0000, Air Force Reserve.

Brig. Gen. Joseph A. McNeil, 000-00-0000, Air Force Reserve.

Brig. Gen. Robert E. Pfister, 000-00-0000, Air Force Reserve.

Brig. Gen. Donald B. Stokes, 000-00-0000, Air Force Reserve.

#### *To be brigadier general*

Col. John L. Baldwin, 000-00-0000, Air Force Reserve.

Col. James D. Bankers, 000-00-0000, Air Force Reserve.

Col. Ralph S. Clem, 000-00-0000, Air Force Reserve.

Col. Larry L. Enyart, 000-00-0000, Air Force Reserve.

Col. Jon S. Gingerich, 000-00-0000, Air Force Reserve.

Col. Charles H. King, 000-00-0000, Air Force Reserve.

Col. Ralph J. Luciani, 000-00-0000, Air Force Reserve.

Col. Richard M. McGill, 000-00-0000, Air Force Reserve.

Col. David R. Myers, 000-00-0000, Air Force Reserve.

Col. James Sanders, 000-00-0000, Air Force Reserve.

Col. Sanford Schlitt, 000-00-0000, Air Force Reserve.

Col. David E. Tanzi, 000-00-0000, Air Force Reserve.

Col. John L. Wilkinson, 000-00-0000, Air Force Reserve.

#### ARMY

The following-named officer for appointment to the grade of general in the U.S. Army while assigned to a position of importance and responsibility under title 10, United States Code, section 601(a):

#### *To be general*

Lt. Gen. Johnnie E. Wilson, 000-00-0000, U.S. Army.

#### NAVY

The following-named officer for appointment to the grade of admiral in the U.S. Navy while assigned to a position of importance and responsibility under title 10, United States Code, sections 601 and 5035:

#### *To be admiral*

Vice Adm. Jay L. Johnson, 000-00-0000.

The following-named officer for appointment to the grade of vice admiral in the U.S. Navy while assigned to a position of importance and responsibility under title 10, United States Code, section 601:

#### *To be vice admiral*

Rear Adm. Vernon E. Clark, 000-00-0000.

The following-named officer for appointment to the grade of vice admiral in the U.S. Navy while assigned to a position of importance and responsibility under title 10, United States Code, section 601:

#### *To be vice admiral*

Rear Adm. (Selectee) Richard W. Mies, 000-00-0000.

The following-named officer for appointment to the grade of vice admiral in the U.S. Navy while assigned to a position of importance and responsibility under title 10, United States Code, section 601:

#### *To be vice admiral*

Rear Adm. Dennis A. Jones, 000-00-0000.

#### MARINE CORPS

The following-named colonel of the U.S. Marine Corps Reserve for promotion to the grade of brigadier general, under the provisions of section 5912 of title 10, United States Code:

#### *To be brigadier general*

Col. Leo V. Williams III, 000-00-0000, USMCR.

(The above nominations were reported with the recommendation that they be confirmed.)

Mr. THURMOND. Mr. President, for the Committee on Armed Services, I report favorably 18 nomination lists in the Air Force, Army, and Navy which were printed in full in the CONGRESSIONAL RECORDS of December 18, 1995, January 22, February 1, and February 9, 1996, and ask unanimous consent, to save the expense of reprinting on the Executive Calendar, that these nominations lie at the Secretary's desk for the information of Senators.

The PRESIDING OFFICER. Without objection, it is so ordered.

(The nominations ordered to lie on the Secretary's desk were printed in the RECORDS of December 18, 1995, January 22, February 1, and 9, 1996, at the end of the Senate proceedings.)

In the Air Force there are 649 promotions to the grade of colonel (list begins with James M. Abel, Jr.). (Reference No. 790.)

In the Air Force Reserve there are 2 appointments to the grade of lieutenant colonel (list begins with Jonathan S. Flaughter). (Reference No. 826.)

In the Air Force Reserve there are 32 appointments to the grade of colonel and below (list begins with Donald R. Smith). (Reference No. 827.)

In the Air Force there are 45 appointments to the grade of captain (list begins with Bradley S. Abels). (Reference No. 828.)

In the Air Force Reserve there are 30 promotions to the grade of lieutenant colonel (list begins with Joseph P. Anello). (Reference No. 829.)

In the Army there are 2 appointments as permanent professors at the U.S. Military Academy (Colonel William G. Held and Lieutenant Colonel Patricia B. Genung). (Reference No. 830.)

In the Navy there are 32 appointments to the grade of ensign (list begins with Charles Armstrong). (Reference No. 831.)

In the Navy and Naval Reserve there are 22 appointments to the grade of captain and below (list begins with Caleb Powell, Jr.). (Reference No. 832.)

In the Air Force Reserve there are 171 promotions to the grade of colonel (list begins with Edward A. Askins). (Reference No. 833.)

In the Air Force there are 220 promotions to the grade of lieutenant colonel and below

(list begins with Andrea M. Anderson). (Reference No. 834.)

In the Air Force there are 669 promotions to the grade of colonel and below (list begins with Stephen W. Andrews). (Reference No. 835.)

In the Air Force Reserve there are 3 appointments to the grade of lieutenant colonel (list begins with Jeffrey K. Smith). (Reference No. 893.)

In the Air Force there are 50 appointments to the grade of second lieutenant (list begins with Matthew D. Atkins). (Reference No. 894.)

In the Army Reserve there is one appointment to the grade of lieutenant colonel (Rickey J. Rogers). (Reference No. 895.)

In the Army Reserve there are 49 promotions to the grade of colonel and below (list begins with James C. Ferguson). (Reference No. 897.)

In the Army there are 58 appointments to the grade of captain and below (list begins with Romney C. Anderson). (Reference No. 898.)

In the Navy there are 10 appointments to the grade of ensign (list begins with Maurice J. Curran). (Reference No. 899.)

In the Army Reserve there are 45 promotions to the grade of lieutenant colonel (list begins with Danny W. Agee). (Reference No. 905.)

### INTRODUCTION OF BILLS AND JOINT RESOLUTIONS

The following bills and joint resolutions were introduced, read the first and second time by unanimous consent, and referred as indicated:

By Mr. BOND:

S. 1574. A bill to provide Federal contracting opportunities for small business concerns located in historically underutilized business zones, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Small Business.

By Mr. LAUTENBERG:

S. 1575. A bill to improve rail transportation safety, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation.

By Ms. MIKULSKI (for herself and Mr. SARBANES):

S. 1576. A bill to provide that Federal employees who are furloughed or are not paid for performing essential services during a period of a lapse in appropriations, may receive a loan, paid at their standard rate of compensation, from the Thrift Savings Fund, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Governmental Affairs.

By Mr. HATFIELD (for himself and Mr. SARBANES):

S. 1577. A bill to authorize appropriations for the National Historical Publications and Records Commission for fiscal years 1998, 1999, 2000, and 2001; to the Committee on Rules and Administration.

By Mr. FRIST (for himself and Mr. HARKIN):

S. 1578. A bill to amend the Individuals with Disabilities Education Act to authorize appropriations for fiscal years 1997 through 2002, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Labor and Human Resources.

By Mr. GLENN (for himself, Mr. STEVENS, Mr. LEVIN, Mr. COCHRAN, Mr. PRYOR, Mr. COHEN, Mr. LIEBERMAN, and Mr. BROWN):

S. 1579. A bill to streamline and improve the effectiveness of chapter 75 of title 31, United States Code (commonly referred to as the "Single Audit Act"); to the Committee on Governmental Affairs.

By Mr. KYL (for himself, Mr. COVERDELL, Mr. CRAIG, Mr.